

LYRIC TODAY—"THE HAND OF HORROR," SENSATIONAL DRAMA IN TWO PARTS; HEARST SELIG NEWS PICTORIAL, "THE OPAL'S CURSE," BIOGRAPH DRAMA, "SETTING THE STYLE," FEATURING JOHN BUNNY

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ONE CENT

IMPRESSIVE OBSEQUIES HELD FOR E. C. NIVER

Rev. D. A. Platt, D. D.,
Boyhood Friend, Con-
ducts Services

FLORAL TRIBUTES MANY
Flowers in Profusion Sur-
round Bier of Lamented
Editor

Impressive funeral rites were held at Brockwayville Tuesday afternoon for Edward Cyrus Niver, managing editor of the Mail who died Sunday. Obsequies were conducted by Rev. D. A. Platt, D. D., pastor of the Dubois Methodist Episcopal church, who was a boyhood friend of Mr. Niver's. Pallbearers were also boyhood friends. They were B. E. Taylor, A. R. Chapin, J. W. Johnston, J. S. Kearney, E. B. Sibley and F. A. Lane.

Services were conducted at the home of his brother-in-law W. G. Curry, where Mr. Niver died after severe suffering. Flowers in profusion decorated the bier and room where the body lay representing tributes of friends in Charleroi and elsewhere. Pieces had been sent by Charleroi lodge, No. 494, E. P. O. Elks and the Charleroi Community club No. 1, both of which organizations were represented at the funeral and by others. Interment took place in Wildwood cemetery at Brockwayville.

The obsequies were attended by a goodly concourse of friends from Brockwayville and other parts of Jefferson county, and from Charleroi and nearby points. From this vicinity the following were present: J. D. Berryman, Charles O. Frye, T. P. Sloan, J. W. Mathias, Harry E. Price and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur W. Day of Charleroi and L. R. Flint of Monongahela, who represented the Monongahela Valley Press Association of which Mr. Niver was a member and leading spirit.

WRECK DELAYS TRAFFIC; NEW TRACK IS LAID

Train No. 147 due here at 9:06 o'clock was about an hour and a half late this morning owing to a wreck above Waltersburg about five miles from Uniontown.

Twenty-two cars loaded with coal and coke broke loose on a siding on the Keister branch about 7 o'clock this morning and ran down onto the main line. Twelve of the cars were derailed. Trains were all delayed while a track was being built around the wrecked cars. It is not known what caused the accident.

WANTED.

A lady to represent the Wason Manufacturing Co. in Charleroi. Address B. M. Leake, Field Manager, General Delivery, Charleroi, not later than Wednesday evening. 9-11p

LADIES NIGHT AT ST. JEROME'S LYCEUM

Tonight will be ladies night at St. Jerome's Lyceum. A euchre will be held. Special plans are under way. A large number are expected to attend.

Complain of Joy Riding

Police May be Asked to Take
Hand to Break up Reck-
less Motoring

That excessive speeding will be stopped on Lincoln avenue near First street or the police asked to make wholesale arrests is indicated from the apparent feeling of citizens who live near that point. That life and property is endangered is the complaint that has been heard. This was proven, it is claimed, only last week, when a motorcyclist and his companion, riding tandem fashion, struck a telephone pole. It was at first stated that the accident was due to the motorcyclist avoiding an automobile, but it was later declared to be due entirely to his own speed. The autoist that was nearest at the time was James Dawson and he states there was no question of avoiding his machine involved.

SEALERS' JOBS SAFE IN STATE DECIDES JUDGE

Not Subject to Removal Ac-
cording to Interpretation
of New Law

NO SURPRISE IS FELT

The tenure of office clause in the weights and measures bill enacted into law by the last legislature and signed by Gov. Tener has just been declared constitutional in a decision and opinion handed down by Judge Isaac Johnson, president judge of the Delaware county courts. In an action of Watson versus Leary the court decided that the appointing power had no power to remove Leary and that he could only be removed as the law prescribed, for cause.

W. J. Leary was sealer of weights and measures at the time the tenure of office law was enacted. It sets forth that all weights and measures officials shall hold office during good behavior, and cannot be removed except for cause. Robert Watson was appointed to succeed Sealer Leary. The latter refused to vacate his office and claimed protection under the above mentioned law. Watson started quo warranto proceedings. Leary through counsel asserted that he could not be summarily dismissed and refused to turn over his test outfit to Watson. The case was argued at length and paper books submitted. The decision and opinion of Judge Johnson is very brief. It covers less than one-half page of legal paper. After noting a few facts asserted, the court says: "Conclusion of law. The defendant is entitled to judgment in his favor."

Sealer O. Evans Mikesell who was

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CHAUTAUQUA TO BE HELD ON THE HILL

Meadow Avenue and Fourth Street Selected for
Location for Week's Entertainments Be-
ginning Next Monday

The Charleroi Chautauqua will be held in a large tent at the corner of Meadow avenue and Fourth street, according to a decision of the local Chautauqua officers at a meeting Tuesday. This seemed to be the only available spot for the variety of one week's entertainments which begins next Monday. J. W. Watt, a Washington and Jefferson college student whose home is in Ben Avon has been here the last few days working up the Chautauqua for the Redpath-Brookway bureau which is furnishing the attractions.

One of the features planned to advertise the Chautauqua is a parade that it is proposed to hold Thursday night. Already streamers have been hung on streets of the town, leading to the scene a gala appearance. It is proposed to start the parade tomorrow night at eight o'clock. Chautauqua hats will likely be on hand at that time and will be distributed.

Tickets have been placed on sale with various persons. Those who have them are Miss Elma Collins, of 405 Crest avenue, and the following members of the committee: Dr. H. J. Repman, Dr. J. W. Manon, C. S. McKean, J. M. Hill. They are also on sale at Piper's Pharmacy. At present the tickets for the season are selling at \$2.00 and after Saturday night they will sell at \$2.50.

VALUABLE COAL TRACT TO BE OPENED UP SOME TIME IN FALL

Recent Purchases of Fallowfield Coal of Distinct Im-
portance of the Community—Railroad Extension
Planned

The Charleroi Gas Company, a corporation recently organized and now applying for a charter, will install a modern coal plant with a capacity of 1,500 tons of coal per day, on Maple creek a short distance from Charleroi. The work is to start early in the fall and it is expected the plant John Rider coal and surface of 185 will be in operation within a short time afterwards. Arrangements have already been made whereby the P. V. and C. railroad will extend a branch line one and one-fourth miles up Maple creek to the plant.

Stockholders in the new company are W. H. Warner of Cleveland, W. J. Humphreys of Pittsburgh; H. A. Davis of Pittsburgh; John Leonard of Library; Whitney Warner of Cleveland; H. E. Goodwin of Chicago, and E. W. Smith of Detroit.

BOY OF TEN DROWNS WHEN HE FALLS FROM RAFT INTO RIVER

Michael Bell, of Allenport, Latest Victim of River--
Companion Makes Brave Attempt to
Save Him

Michael Bell, aged 10 years, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bell, of Fayette City, was drowned Tuesday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock in the Monongahela river about 30 feet from the Allenport side.

The lad was returning to his home in a large sawdust flat boat with three other boys—Clifford Briner, William McCready and Amos Behanna. They were all rowing and it is presumed that the Bell boy, who was sitting in the back end of the boat lost a stroke and fell overboard.

Meat Supply Decreasing.

A decreasing supply, the slaughter of young calves, fewer feeders and a shortage of forage, are the causes assigned by the department of agriculture for the rising prices of meat. The department however, refuses to predict a possible trend to still higher price levels this fall.

BELLE VERNON TO HOLD PICNIC AT ELDORA PARK

Business men of Belle Vernon have decided to hold their annual outing at Eldora park. A meeting was held on Tuesday at which time the vote was taken in favor of Eldora. The date will be set later.

MASS MEETING TONIGHT OF GRAVE IMPORTANCE

School Folk
Will Reune

Former Pupils at Dickeys
Arrange Celebration--
Addresses Arranged

Thursday, August 27 is the date chosen for the first reunion of the pupils, teachers and the patrons of the Dickey school of Fallowfield township, Washington county. This is one of the oldest schools of the county, and the proposal of a reunion has aroused wide-spread interest.

Among the former pupils and teachers who will participate in the afternoon program will be Dr. John Burkett, Sr. of Carnegie, and Attorney Harry L. Williams of Washington. The committee in charge includes the following: Miss Margaret Hess, Mrs. W. P. Rodgers, Rev. D. D. Kiehl, B. D. Irwin, Joseph T. Irwin and Charles Williams. Full particulars will be published later.

The committee will be glad to have any desiring or expecting to be present to notify the secretary, Mrs. W. P. Rodgers, R. D. No. 2, Monongahela.

WOMAN SAVES BABE AT RISK OF OWN LIFE

Goes Through Smoke and

Fire to Rescue Infant--
Is Seriously Burned

HOUSE IS DESTROYED

In rescuing her babe from flames her home at the corner of Tenth street and Knox avenue. Monessen, Gilmore threw the bat hitting the tail of the house. Mrs. Edward Knight, performed the part of a heroine. The child was uninjured but she received serious burns on the hands and arms. The home, which was the property of Graff Milhoian, a Monessen councilman, was destroyed with all its contents. The loss, partly covered with insurance will be from \$1,500 to \$2,000.

Tuesday was a poor day to dry clothes out of doors and Mrs. Knight had hung a number of pieces over the stove and became ignited. The yard of her home, they dropped to the stove and became ignited. The room where her babe lay asleep she house was burning.

Mrs. Knight rushed into an inside room where her baby lay asleep. She grabbed up the infant and hurried for the kitchen. Blinded by smoke she dove through the flames but in protecting her babe, she suffered severe burns.

Ice Cream Social.

The Ladies of The Maccabees will hold an ice cream and cake social on Crest avenue between Eighth and Ninth street, on Wednesday evening. Ice cream and cake 15 cents. Everybody invited.

Citizens to Discuss Pro-
posed Bond Issue of
\$70,000 or \$75,000

PAVING FUNDS NEEDED

Hill District Improvement to
be Considered--To Take
up Building Project

Grave importance is attached to the public meeting of citizens that will be held this evening at the high school auditorium for the discussion of the proposed bond issue of \$70,000 to \$75,000 for the paving of streets on the hill. The meeting will be called at 8 o'clock and the proposal gone into fully.

Councilman W. R. Gaut is to preside at the meeting and several persons will speak. It is expected that among those who will discuss the project will be J. D. Barryman, H. I. Booth, and Borough Engineer Harvey W. Brown.

Borough Engineer Brown has prepared figures for the paving of all the streets of the hill district. He finds that the probable cost will be \$150,000, of which the borough's share would be one-third and the property owner's share two-thirds. This would leave for the borough approximately \$60,000.

Matters pertaining to the value of paved streets for the borough will be gone into thoroughly. Then the proposal to erect a new borough building on Fallowfield avenue between Third and Fourth streets, where property is owned, will be discussed.

BOY DIES FROM INJURIES RECEIVED IN BALL GAME

Sherwood Gillingham aged ten years of Webster died at the Monongahela memorial hospital, as a result of injuries received by being hit with a bat. The boy with several others was witnessing a ball game near his home on Wednesday when one of the players, a young man named James Gilmore threw the bat hitting the tail of the house. Mrs. Edward Knight, performed the part of a heroine. The child was uninjured but she received serious burns on the hands and arms. The home, which was the property of Graff Milhoian, a Monessen councilman, was destroyed with all its contents. The loss, partly covered with insurance will be from \$1,500 to \$2,000.

SENSATIONAL DRAMA AT THE LYRIC TODAY

In "The Hand of Horror" a sensational drama will be featured at the Lyric theatre today. It will be presented in two parts, detailing a wonderful story. In addition to this grand picture will be presented the Hearst-Selig News Pictorial, telling the story by pictures of events of daily occurrence the country over. "The Opal's Curse," a Biograph drama and "Setting the Style," in which John Bunny will be featured.

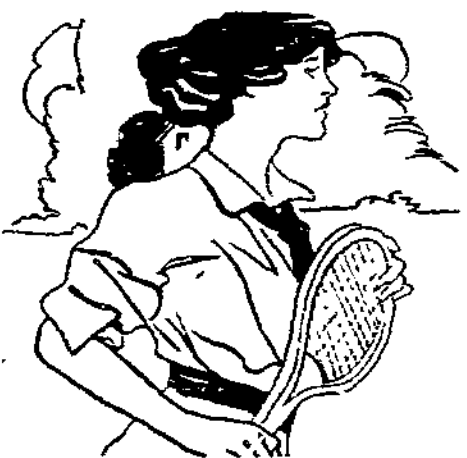
Charles Melenzyer, undertaker and furniture dealer of Belle Vernon, has gone to the Presbyterian hospital at Pittsburgh, to undergo an operation for appendicitis. During his absence his establishment will be in charge of a competent man.

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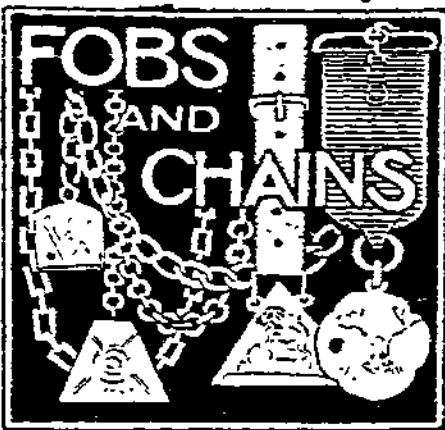
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THE RAILROADS' TOLL OF DEATH

With all our efforts being directed toward a greater conservation of human life in industry and transportation, in all the activities of life, the cords go to show from compiled statistics, that hundreds of thousands of lives are being sacrificed each year in spite of them, remarks the Washington Observer.

The records of the interstate commerce commission show that for the year just ended, June 30, 1914, 10,150 persons were killed by or on the railroads of the country and 19,000 were injured during the same period.

The figures as to the number killed and injured indicate the railroads are more deadly than war, pestilence and famine combined.

During the past twenty-five years more than 210,000 persons have been killed on American railroads and more than 2,000,000 injured.

When we consider what those figures mean to those left dependent, as well as to the insurance companies and to the railroads themselves it is not much wonder that the commission regards the situation as very serious.

One member of the commission commenting on these figures said: "The ravages of war pale into insignificance before these indications of the destruction of human life accompanying the peaceful operations of our railroads."

In analyzing the figures it is seen that the larger percentage of those who meet death on the railroads or were injured, are numbered among employees. The fact that more employees were killed than passengers considering the greater proportion of passengers traveling, it is evident that the deaths and injuries are due in large part to what is known as "industrial accidents"—accidents which could in a large measure be eliminated.

Looking at the situation from a humanitarian standpoint it is any wonder that the men and women of this country who are placing humanity above property, believe that those who are dependent on the men who are injured in industrial accidents or lose their lives in the course of such employment, should be compensated for the loss?

Every man who is injured in the course of his employment in industry or those dependent on all those who meet death, should be compensated, says the Observer, so that the loss shall be distributed among the employer, the employee and the state. Only motorcyclists but autoists disband that it shall not all fall upon the play recklessness there that comes dissonance or ones who are least able to meet the sudden misfortune.

DR. MARTIN G. BRUMBAUGH

The nomination of Dr. Martin G. Brumbaugh for governor by the Republican party is a fortunate circumstance in the present condition of affairs. It will do much to complete the work of the party and will have been waiting on its trophy for more than a year.

Dr. Brumbaugh is a man of exceptional opportunity to place the administration of the commonwealth in the hands of one having proved fitness for the trust.

In character, in ability, in experience with affairs, in knowledge of the state and its people Dr. Brumbaugh is unusually well equipped to discharge the varied and responsible duties of the highest administrative office. Owned by nobody, a man of commanding force and resource, with the single purpose of serving the best public interest, it can be depended upon that the official business of the commonwealth will be lifted to a high plane of usefulness and efficiency under his administration.

Nor do the people of Pennsylvania take Dr. Brumbaugh on trust. They know him, and from one end of the state to the other he enjoys their confidence. It is a sufficient pledge for the future that he has discharged with conspicuous fidelity every obligation of public service imposed upon him in the past; that he has filled to the full measure of its usefulness every public position he has ever occupied; that to the public advantage he has broadened and enlarged the duties of every office entrusted to him.

In the announcement of his candidacy Dr. Brumbaugh placed himself in the front line of progressive thought and purpose. He declared unequivocally for the legislative and administrative reforms which are the demand of the hour. They are not matters of mere party concern. They are vital to all the people of the commonwealth, and Dr. Brumbaugh meets every question with courage and conscience, with no reservation, with no private pledge or obligation.

His pledges are made to the public alone, and every pledge to the public is guaranteed by the faithful record of the past. Such a candidate deserves the support of every Republican in the state, and as well that of all citizens who put the interests of the commonwealth above the interests of party.

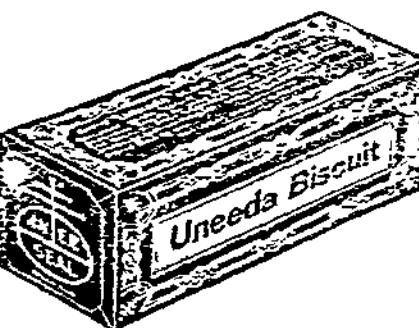
SPEEDING AND LIVING.

Excessive speeding is claimed to have been the chief contributing cause of a motorcycle accident on Lincoln avenue near First street within the last week that nearly put an end to the lives of two. That is not the first accident at this point.

Complaints have been made from that section, but it is just in the border of town where scorching is made easy. How they do scorch, too. Not only motorcyclists but autoists disband that it shall not all fall upon the play recklessness there that comes dissonance or ones who are least able to meet the sudden misfortune.

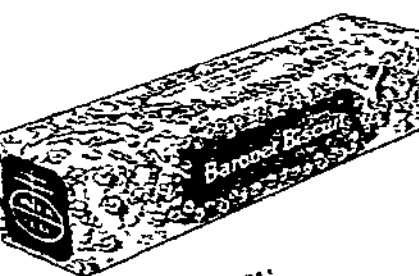
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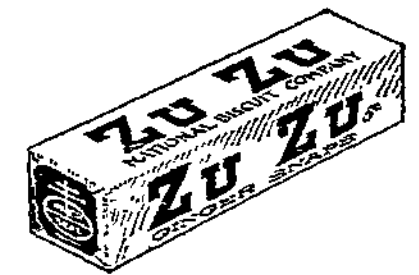
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Using streets for testing grounds is dangerous. Some motorists know it. Now the chief difficulty is to convince others.

ELECTRIC SPARKS

The police department is the public institution that never asks for free advertising.

New Haven boasts of a two-faced cat. That cat is just like some human beings.

A Pittsburger who was struck by lightning was severely burned by a burning rubber collar, but his life was saved by rubber soled shoes. A little rubber is a good thing but too much rubber is dangerous.

It appears that peace is a quality that is strained.

Whenever somebody poisons somebody else's dog and the somebody gets in wrong public sympathy gravitates to the first party of the first part. Funny, isn't it?

At last an excuse for low-cut bathing gowns has been fathomed. It is that woman many get tanned low enough for her evening gowns.

Callow Youth—"Barbaric, how long will I have to wait for a shave?" Barber—(glancing at him)—"Oh, about two years."—Boston Transcript

Villa's Tub. General Villa has ordered a \$1,000 bathtub—News item. Villa, who has gained much peace, is no crude, uncultured dabbler. He has gone and bought himself a nice thousand-dollar tub.

He has carved to fame a path. There are few foes left to drub. He can pause and take a bath in his thousand-dollar tub.

'Tis a goodly lot of cash. Who can now the hero snub? He is bound to cut a dash. With his thousand-dollar tub. —Pittsburgh Post.

PICKED UP IN PASSING

That people are not as careful readers as they might be was proven on Saturday when in a local store, a party of men started a discussion of the Charleroi Mail.

"We know it is this," one asked. "I read it in the Mail that there is a Friday Centenary coming. Wonder if that is right goods."

"I don't know, I'm sure," responded another. "Are you sure it said that?" "Yes, absolutely certain—read the headline for yourself."

A copy of the Friday issue of the Mail was procured and here is what the headline said:

NINE DAY CHAUTAUQUA MAN TO BE HERE SOON

When the wind-storm of Sunday evening came, a certain Charleroi woman rushed to the basement to procure a rope with which to fasten the awnings of the front porch. Knowing the basement thoroughly, she went without a light, trusting to her knowledge of surroundings to find the rope. She seized a rope that was convenient and yanked at it, then with a knife cut it. It wouldn't come, so she lit a match. With that she found she had hacked the telephone wire in two.

But the fun was yet to come. She said nothing, deciding there might be other developments. There were. Others of the family later endeavored to use the telephone, uselessly of course. Then she told, and there was a general laugh.

TEMPER AND TEMPERANCE IS DISCUSSED

Dr. Samuel G. Dixon, state commissioner of health discusses this week the subject of "Temper vs Temperance." He says:

"Over two thousand years ago Confucius said, 'few are those who err on the side of self restraint.'"

"All neurologists unite in the opinion that anger has a dangerous effect on the human system. Experiments have been carried on to show that the various functions of the body are materially interfered with or arrested by excessive passion."

"It is not uncommon for illness to follow a fit of temper and for those whose blood pressure is high or where there is defective heart action it is extremely dangerous. Not only those who give way to uncontrolled passion work an injury to themselves but they are almost certain to arouse a like passion in others."

"There are few occasions in life which justify the display of 'righteous anger' and even in such instances it is always a debatable question whether calm and well directed energy would not have accomplished far more."

"During the hot weather small annoyances are apt to be exaggerated and trifles assume an importance out of proportion. Self restraint is a valuable asset in the building of individual character and in the cultivation of those temperate habits of mind and body which go far to maintain sound bodily and mental health."

WEDDED IN CUMBERLAND: TO LIVE IN CHARLEROI

Miss Clara Crispin of North Charleroi and John Edward Welch were married in Cumberland, Md., Tuesday and are visiting in Cumberland. They will return to Charleroi within a few days to live.

DONORA NOT UNDER RIGID QUARANTINE

It was currently reported here this morning that the town of Donora had been quarantined because of the many cases of scarlet fever. Upon investigation this report was found to be untrue. The scarlet fever patients are rapidly recovering and at the present time there are less than twenty persons afflicted with the disease.

ENTERTAIN IN HONOR OF THEIR DAUGHTER

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Gasch entertained a number of young folk at their home in Speers Monday evening in honor of their daughter, Miss Sylvia. The music, furnished by the Konecheck Christian church orchestra of Belle Vernon, was much enjoyed. A lunch of cream and cake was served. Besides the younger set of Speers, guests were present from Charleroi, Belle Vernon and Monessen.

Taylor Named Treasurer

The organization of the county Republican committee was completed this week by the naming of Woodward M. Taylor treasurer. He is a

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DR. PARKER'S TWO SERMONS

And How He Got the Morning Congregation Back to His Church at Night.

A characteristic story of Dr. Parker was told by a minister who had known him for many years. Dr. Parker was a local preacher, says the British Weekly. One Saturday he met Parker at a church where he had an engagement for Sunday. "Yes," was the reply.

"Are your sermons ready, Joseph?" asked the minister.

"I have the morning sermon," was the reply, "but I am not sure about the evening."

"Well, Joseph, what is your text for the morning and how do you treat it?" Parker went over his text and the outline of his sermon.

"But, Joseph," said the minister, "that is very clever, but it is not the real meaning of the text. If you will look at the commentaries you will see that you are wrong."

Parker thanked him and went his way. On the Monday the minister again met his friend.

"Well, Joseph, how did you get on yesterday?"

"Very well," was the reply. "How did you manage?"

"Well," he said, "in the morning I preached my sermon and explained the text in my way, and at the close said: 'This is how I understand it. But I want men to understand it differently and I will tell you in the evening how the learned men understand it.'"

They all came back in the evening and Joseph had a happy day.

ABLE TO EAT A FEW TRIFLES

Star's Appetite Had Not Completely Failed, Judging by the Dinner She Ordered.

The theatrical manager leaned wearily against the desk in the office of the hotel.

"Well, how goes it?" said the clerk. The manager shrugged his shoulders without replying.

"Good business?"

The manager evaded the question. "I'm afraid we may have to close before the season's over. My star's sick. When she comes to the theater at night she's hardly able to get through her work. She says she can't eat anything."

Just then the telephone bell rang. The clerk turned to answer it. After listening for a moment he said: "Wait till I get a pencil. I've got to write that down."

As he wrote he repeated: "Mock turtle soup, soft shell crabs, port-house steak, half a chicken, mashed potatoes, peas, string beans, tomato salad, ice cream, strawberries and coffee. When?" Then he shouted into the phone. "How many is that dinner for? One? Two?"

Then he turned to the manager. "That's your star's dinner," he said quietly.

Directory of Minerals.

Every city has a directory of its inhabitants. If you do not know a person's name but do know that he is a paperhanger, the classified business directory will locate him for you.

A directory of the useful minerals in the United States, on much the same plan, has just been published by the United States Geological Survey. If you want to know where any one of the 400 useful minerals occurs, this directory gives the list of localities in each state where your mineral will be found. This publication should be useful to many classes of people in many ways.

If someone wants to sell you stock in a Texas oil company the report will tell you in what counties in Texas oil is produced and in what other counties it may eventually be found. If your wife wears a blood-stone lavalliere, the report gives you the only locality in the United States where that stone is known to occur.

If you want to manufacture plaster of paris or need lime for your back pasture, this report will tell you where to find the gypsum and gives the location of your nearest limekiln.

SOCIETY AND PERSONAL CHARLEROI IS

VICTOR 60 AT

FAYETTE CITY

Miss Sadie Smith with a number of friends from California are spending a two weeks' vacation at Charleroi.

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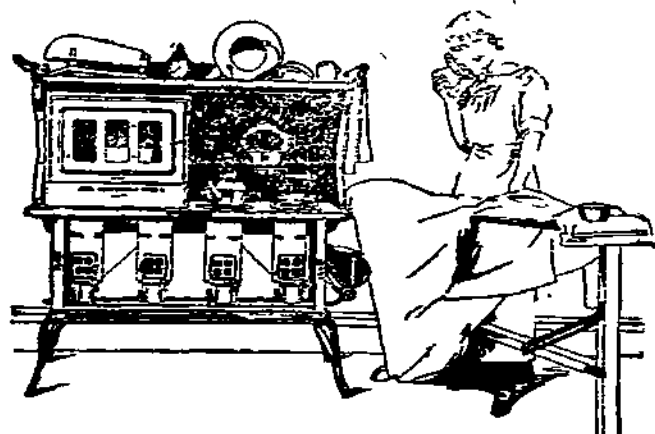
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In 1, 2, 3 and 4 burner sizes. Ask to see the 1914 model 4 burner, cabinet range with fireless cooking oven. At all hardware and general stores.

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Mrs. George Ewing, 913 Shady avenue, Charleroi, Pa., says: "One of the family had attacks of kidney disease for years. He often complained of his back aching and he was so bad at times that he had to lay off from work. The kidney secretions were irregular in passage and caused him much annoyance. Mornings he got up feeling lame and stiff. He was advised to try Doan's Kidney Pills and he got a box at Piper's Pharmacy. After taking the remedy a short time he was benefited and several boxes did him a world of good."

A Later Statement.

On January 26, 1914, Mrs. Ewing said: "We still hold as high an opinion of Doan's Kidney Pills as when we gave a public statement praising them some time ago. We always have a box of this remedy in the house and recommend it whenever we can."

Price 50c. at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mrs. Ewing recommends. Foster-Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y.

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WANTED—Sewing at reasonable rates. Call local phone 52-X. 301 Meadow avenue.

WANTED—Capable girl for general housework. Apply Wagner's confectionary store. 51f

LOST—Bar pin Friday evening or Fallowfield or McKean avenue between Third and Sixth streets. Finder please leave at Mail office. 6f

FOR SALE—A young Scotch collie dog, cheap. Inquire 386 Mail. 9-14p

FOR SALE—Farm of 120 acres. Close to town. Cheap to quick buyer. Inquire 411 Crest avenue, Charleroi, Pa. 9-14p

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A Great Program With a Mighty Purpose

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Grand Opera
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A Wonderful Assembly of Talent

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Season Tickets Are NOW ON SALE by the Local Committee and May Be Had While They Last at \$2 Each. Children's Tickets at \$1

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FOR JULY 8 AUGUST

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MEN'S SHIRTS.

Special selling Blue Work Shirts. Genuine the Amoskeag Chamber 50c values on sale **THURSDAY MORNING** 33c

See the Window.

Men's Fine French Flannel Outing Shirts \$1.50 values. Sale Price \$1.19

Men's Flannel Shirts with separate soft collar or collar attached. Regular \$1.25 values. Sale price. \$89c

SILK SHIRTS.

Men's Silk Shirts, large selection, splendid values, pretty patterns, sold from \$1.50 to \$4.00, all go at 20 per cent off. Other shirt specials, regular dollar values 59c and 69c

MEN'S PANTS.

All our Summer Weight Pants at wonderful reductions:

\$2.00 pants. Sale Price \$1.25
\$3.00 pants. Sale price \$1.98
\$4.00 pants. Sale Price \$2.65
\$5.00 pants. Sale Price \$3.75

BOY'S PANTS.

50c pants. Sale price 39c
75c pants. Sale price 59c
\$1.00 pants. Sale price 79c
\$1.50 pants. Sale price \$1.19

GET EXTRA PANTS FREE

With every Kahn Merchant Tailored Suit, made to measure during this sale, we are giving an extra pair of pants of like material. Our \$25,000 in July and August Sale enables you to double the wear of your suit where the wear is hardest. Kahn Clothes are the recognized leaders in custom tailoring—we want you to have a Kahn Suit—get it during this Sale, and the extra pair of pants is yours.

MEN'S AND YOUNG MEN'S SUITS

A REAL SALE

A MIGHTY EFFORT TO SELL SUITS

If you are a late buyer this is your opportunity, if you bought early here's your chance to have another suit for little money. Remember this Special Suit Selling.

4.75 Mens suits and young Mens suits that sold at \$5.00 and \$8.50, these suits are from the makers of good clothes and they surely are Real Bargains.

6.75 Mens suits and Young Men's suits that sold at 10.00 and 12.00. Here you get still better grades but we advise you to come soon, you've never bought better suits at this price.

8.75 Men's and Young Men's suits that sold at 13.50 and 15.00. Here you get some real snappy suits, that have both quality in cloth and workmanship—get your share of the savings here.

10.75 Men's and Young Men's suits that sold for 18.00 and 20.00. These are extra savings for you, our loss will be your gain—these suits simply must go, and it is up to you if you get one of them.

HALF PRICE SALE FOR MEN'S AND BOY'S STRAW HATS

Every Straw Hat in the Store Goes at Half Price, Plenty of Time to Wear Them Yet. Better Get in Early.

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MEN'S AND BOY'S GOODS.

All straw hats go at half price.
\$1.00 hats at 50c
\$2.00 hats at \$1.00
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Men's Wash Ties, regular price 25c Sale Price 17c
Men's Puritan Union Suits, regular price 75c. Sale Price 45c
Men's Fine Lisle Union Suits, regular price 75c. Sale Price 59c
Men's Balbriggan union suits, regular price 50c. Sale Price 39c
Men's 25c Balbriggan underwear. 19c
Boy's 25c Balbriggan Underwear. 19c
Boy's Wash Suits at One-half off.
Children's Rompers, regular price 25c. Sale Price 19c
Men's and Boy's Soft Collars, regular price 15c and 25c. Sale Price 9c
Soft Collars and Ties to match, regular price 25c. Sale Price 17c
Boy's Balbriggan union suits, regular price 25c. Sale Price 19c
Boy's Porous union suits, regular price 25c. Sale Price 19c
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BOY'S SUITS.

Boy's good double breasted suits with Knickerbocker pants. Special values for this sale.
Regular price \$3.50. Sale Price \$1.98
Regular price \$4 & \$5. Sale Price \$2.85
Regular price \$7 & \$8. Sale price \$4.75

NORTH CHARLEROI

Mrs. N. J. Brown of Belle Vernon visited her daughter, Mrs. Joseph Stump.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Michener and children, Mr. and Mrs. William McLaughlin took an automobile trip to Pittsburg.

Mr. and Mrs. John McClure visited in Elizabeth.

Mrs. John Bryson and Mrs. Elizabeth Moser have returned to Uniontown after visiting Mrs. Davis Woodward.

Mrs. George Dennis and daughter, Mrs. Clyde Bradley visited in Finleyville and Monongahela.

Charles Coulter, George Dennis and Leslie Claybaugh were callers in Brownsville.

Mrs. Clyde Flenniken visited her parents in Rice Landing.

Miss Gertrude Scump of Pittsburg is visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Stump.

Miss Edna Mingle of Center county is the guest of Mrs. H. J. Hill.

Mrs. Elmer Jacobs and children visited friends in Elizabeth.

Mrs. George Dennis and Mrs. Harry Dennis were guests of Mrs. Leslie Campbell of Monessen.

Mrs. Richard Heatley and children Miss Florence and James of McKeesport were guests of the former's sister Mrs. Jacob Gulantz.

Miss Lydia Green of Akron, O., is visiting Mrs. E. C. Crabb.

Walter Maund visited in Brownsville.

Miss Erma Wolfe of Pittsburg and Miss Rebecca Boyer of Bloomfield, visited Mrs. C. A. Watson.

Dredge Boat No. 2 returned from Braddock Monday evening and left for Little Falls, W. Va. Tuesday.

Mrs. Henry Sadelle visited in Conellsville.

Mrs. Thomas Cratty and children was visiting relatives in Pittsburg.

Miss Martha Metz is visiting friends in Pittsburg.

J. E. Metz spent Sunday with his family in Pittsburg.

James McCaw of Brownsville, was a caller.

Mrs. Belle McCool and Miss Lillian Metz visited in Pittsburg.

Arthur Brownsword of Akron, O., is the guest of Thomas Jones.

Miss Ethel Nye has gone to Akron, Ohio, where she will visit for several days.

Mrs. Ross Reeves and children of Belle Vernon, were guests of Mrs. John Hogan Friday.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. Nichols Romcis of Isabella avenue, a daughter Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Rivers of Donora visited Mr. and Mrs. William Foulks.

Miss Elsie Claybaugh of Fayette City visited with her sister Mrs. Charles Booth.

Mrs. William Heith of Donora visited her daughters here.

Mrs. Nichols Miller is ill.

SEALERS' JOBS SAFE

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responsible for this clause having been written in the bill, when appraised of Judge Johnson's decision stated: "I am not surprised that it has been declared valid. Before submitting the same to the legislature it had been passed upon by most eminent counsel in and out of the state and all declared it to be constitutional. The object of the law is to prevent promiscuous change in weights and measures officials for political purposes, to the detriment of the service." This is the first test of the new law in the state. It will establish a

precedent for the whole state. The Times of Chester in speaking of Sealer Leary says that a faithful and conscientious officer has been vindicated. He is receiving the congratulations of the sealers throughout the state. Under this court decision weights and measures officials are given life tenure and cannot be removed only for cause and then only after a fair and impartial trial.

WILLIAM R. DAVIS IS MUCH IMPROVED

William R. Davis, who was injured in an automobile accident Sunday afternoon near Washington on the National pike, is said to be much improved, but it is thought best not to move him yet for a few days. Burgess S. L. Woodward took the young man's mother Mrs. Davis, his sister, Mrs. John Johnson and brother Harry Davis to Washington in his automobile Tuesday to see him.

ROBERT HOPKINS DIES AT HOME IN MONESSEN

Robert J. Hopkins, aged 49 years, died at his home on Knox avenue, at Monessen, Sunday evening at 7:30 o'clock. Death was due to pneumonia. He had been ill since April. He is survived by two sisters and two brothers as follows: Mrs. Mary A. Johnston, Mrs. James F. Weaver, Joseph J. Hopkins and Andrew T. Hopkins all of Monessen and five half sisters, Miss Matilda Hopkins, Miss Sadie Hopkins, Miss Mable Hopkins, Miss Edith Hopkins of Charleroi and Mrs. Reebie Haist, who is in the west. The funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock.

New Umpire Signed. President John Jenkins of the Monongahela Valley league has signed as an umpire James Underwood a former ball player of Roscoe.

Fossils in Profusion.

Dr. Robert Broom of London, in a recent lecture says the oldest known fossils are 15 000 000 years old. Wait, please—it isn't necessary to inquire too closely into the reasons on which Dr. Broom bases his belief in this matter; nor to kick up any dispute about the question. But it is safe to say that in every town and community, there are fossils far from 15,000,000 years old. They are persons who walk about and hold converse with their neighbors and are hopelessly out of touch with affairs. They are opposed to everything that savors of either newness or action. They have tired of activity. Yet they persist in hanging around on the outskirts of activity. What is to be done with them? Oh, the natural way is to get buffy and to call them fossils, boneheads and all that sort of thing. But there is another way to dispose of them. Let them have their say. Then exercise the function of forgetfulness and let the chariot roll on.—Detroit Free Press

Dangerous Hiccoughs.

Two unusual cases of suffering through hiccoughs are reported. In one, a man had an attack of hiccoughs which lasted for nine days before he obtained relief. A little girl had a much worse attack, which lasted between three and four months, and was the result of a fright. Doctors had been unable to end the paroxysms, and many times it was thought the child would die. She had wasted away alarmingly, and hope for her recovery was abandoned. But a short time ago she had a violent attack of coughing. Her mother gave her cold tea and lemon. The coughing stopped. Everybody waited anxiously expecting the hiccoughing to return. But it did not.

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